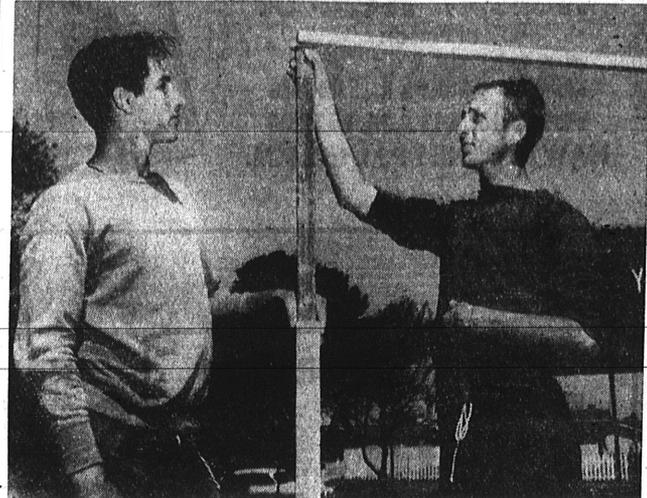


# 40th Bay League Track Meet Friday at El Camino

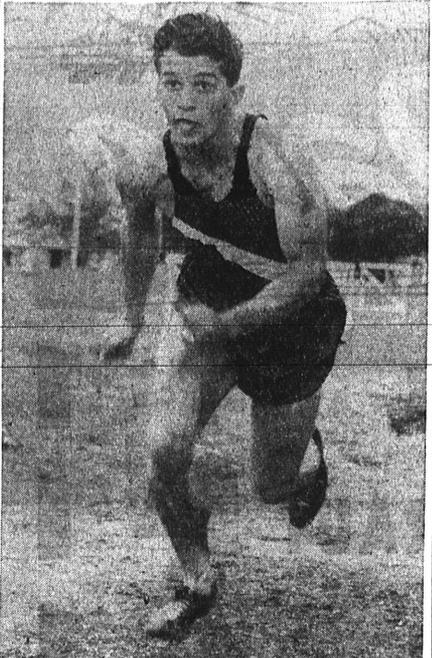
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**FIRST TO BUY . . .** Torrance Mayor Nickolas Drate buys the first Little League decal from Card player Kenny Gates, 11, of 1626 Crenshaw Blvd. "Decal Week" begins tomorrow night, when the Little League teams will each canvass a section of the city selling the emblems for 50 cents each. The money will be used to improve the field and for the concessions at the park. Next week will be Little League Week in Torrance and will climax with a downtown parade on Saturday and the opening of play on Sunday, May 16.



**LONG STRETCH . . .** Tartar high jumpers Bob Boss, left, and Dennis Hester set their sights on the magic six-foot mark, which they'll try to approach tomorrow in the Bay League track finals at El Camino College. Boss cleared 6 ft. 1 in. for the top height of the season at Tartarville and one of the better marks in the county this year. Don Forth also high jumps, giving the locals a three-man shot at points in the event. Hester also will run the 880, and has a good chance of winning it.



**STRAINING FOR SPEED . . .** Ron Heffler, Torrance's sterling broad jumper, strains every muscle in an attempt to gain speed as he pounds down the runway toward the pit. He will be the Tartars' top threat in the jump event tomorrow in the Bay League finals at El Camino College.

## Tartars Hurt By Loss of Hurdler Moon

The 40th Annual Bay League Track and Field Meet, with Torrance High School as official host, will begin with field events at 2 p.m. tomorrow at El Camino College.

Torrance's chances of upsetting Santa Monica received a cruel blow this week when hurdler Bob Moon was declared ineligible because of a training rule violation. Moon, who finished second in his heat in the high hurdle prelims last Friday

## Tickets on Sale For Final Meet

Tickets for the Bay League track finals tomorrow at El Camino College can be purchased today at Torrance High School or at the gate prior to the meet.

Prices are 30 cents for students, 50 cents for adults. Torrance High is the host for the finals this year. Field events begin at 2 p.m. and running events at 2:30 p.m.

Students will be dismissed from school early tomorrow so that they can attend the finals.

## City Softball Play To Open In Three Leagues Next Week

City Softball swings into play Monday in the regular softball league. Blue Streak and Service Club Slo-pitch inaugurals will follow on Tuesday and Thursday.

The Harbor Hornets and Dow Styrene will initiate newly rejuvenated Torrance Park to softball Monday night and the Marine Clerks will follow against the Longren Acres.

On Tuesday, the Optimists and Lions will open Service Club Slo-pitch play and the Moose will lift the Junior Chamber of Commerce in the second game.

**Blue Streak Opens**  
The opening game in the Blue Streak League pits Local 1135 against the Walteria Methodist Church on Thursday at Walteria Park. The Fire Department "A" team will meet the Torrance Gardens and Plaza team in the evening's windup.

On Thursday at Torrance City Park, the National Blues and Lutheran Men of the Blue Streak League will argue.

On Friday, Blue Streakers Midland Rubber and Fire Department "B" team will fight it out, also at Torrance Park.

**Managers Listed**  
Following are the teams and managers for '54 play:  
Service Club Slo-pitch League Teams and Managers: American Legion Post No. 170, Bruno Giacomini; Hollywood Riviera Sportsmen Club, Frank Regal; Junior Chamber of Commerce, O. L. Schroeder; Lions Club, Mott Farrell; Moose Club, Sam Humer; Optimist Club, Forrest Meyers; Rotary Club, George W. Post; and Walteria Businessmen's Club, Pat Cooney.

## Warrior Netters Set for Tourney

Dan Rohrdanz of Torrance and Bill Lewis of Redondo will carry the El Camino banner into the Metropolitan Conference tennis tournament tomorrow and Saturday at Long Beach City College.

As a doubles team, Rohrdanz and Lewis have the stuff to reach the finals, according to Coach Norm Verry. They are each entered in singles matches also.

The Warriors are fourth in Metro tennis standings. They dropped their last match to East Los Angeles Friday to split with that team in season's play.

Following the conference tourney, El Camino netters will be preparing for the Southern California Tournament May 14 and 15 and the State tourney at Modesto May 20-22.

## Camino Seventh In Metro Meet

Gordon McClenathan's third in Hurdles to Floyd Jeter of East Los Angeles (14.6) and the Mile fourth in the shot put gave El Camino five points and seventh place in the Metropolitan Conference Track meet Saturday at Santa Monica 26; Bakersfield Santa Monica City College, as 25; Harbor 21, El Camino 5, San Diego 0.

Valley Junior College won the meet with 63 points and Long Beach finished second with 32½. New marks were registered in the 220 by Harry Nelson of Long Beach (21.4, old record 21.8); the 880 by Ray Houghton of Santa Monica (1:56.7, old record 1:57.8); the Mile by Joe Leach of Valley, (4:27.8, old mark 4:29.8) the Two-Mile by Allen Peterson of Valley (9:56.1, old record 10:12.5); the 120 High

and third in the low hurdles, was being counted on to pull points in those events.

His ineligibility leaves Tartar Clayton Mallard to carry the load in the hurdles. Mallard finished second in both lows and highs in the prelims. He also qualified in the pole vault, so a lot will rest on the slim Tartar's shoulders tomorrow.

**Heffler Injured**  
Broad jumper Ron "Hopalong" Heffler injured his ankle when he leaped over the pit in practice this week and landed on the grass. Coach Vern Wolfe hopes that it will respond to treatment since Heffler's best leap—21 ft. 6 in.—could take a first. Best jump in the prelims was 20 ft. 5½ in.

Torrance now has 20 qualifiers to Santa Monica's 26. Next are Inglewood, 16; Redondo, 11; Beverly Hills, 6, and Leuzinger, 4.

The Tartars' best chances for first place points are in the 440, where Bert Smith will battle to the wire with Redondo's Bob Goldstone and Tartar Don Kasten will be churning toward a third; Dennis "The Medicine" Hester's specialty is the mile, where Bob Guerra will attempt to outleg Santa Monica's "Windy" Tellman in what should be a real classic; and the high jump and broad jump.

**Boss Broad Chance**  
Big Bob Boss hung up a 6 ft. 1 in. high jump earlier in the year. This could win it. He is ably supported by Hester and Don Forth. Jim Babb and Smith will join Heffler in the broad jump.

The first three men in each event tomorrow will qualify for the CIF prelims on May 15.

Following are Tartarland's entries:

**Films of Relays Out**  
Films for showing at service clubs on the Los Angeles Coliseum Relays are now available. Requests should be made to the Southern California Committee for the Olympic Games, Helms Hall, Culver City. Committees for the 14th annual Coliseum Relays, to be held Friday night, May 21, report one film request came from Honolulu. The film was sent.

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**Softball teams and managers:**  
Dow Styrene, Vern Booth; Darles, Inc., Joe Bonard and Ben Avakian; Harbor Hornets, Earl Withem; Longren Acres, Gilbert "Gabby" DiSanto; Marine Clerks, Bert Kuhn; Walteria Businessmen, Virgil D. Hancock.

## SPORTS CALENDAR

**Track**  
Tuesday, May 4—Southern California Junior College Track prelims, at East Los Angeles Junior College.  
Friday, May 7—Southern California Junior College Track Meet, East Los Angeles Junior College.  
Friday, May 7—Bay League finals, El Camino College, 2 p.m.  
**Baseball**  
Friday, May 7—El Camino at East Los Angeles.  
Saturday, May 8—El Camino at Bakersfield.  
**Tennis**  
May 7-8—Metro Conference Tourney.

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**Dandoy Poses**  
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## ROD and GUN CHATTER

**By DONNA BARKDULL**  
Deep sea angling slipped from the limelight over the week-end giving leeway to the opening of the 1954 trout season. Fair to good catches were reported taken from Lake Crowley, June Lake and most of the other brook trout lakes and what-have-you in the High Sierras and around about. This year they have been stocked better than ever, so anglers should really be in for an excellent season of trout fishing.

**Hallbut Kaput**  
Off local banks the hallbut have done a disappearing act. Sunday, Jim Hill, Joe Dooling, Harold Maxwell, Clint Hendrix, Howard Culva and Dick Bomen on the Happy Jack, drifted everywhere the hallbut had been, only to come in with 15 flyswatters plus three sculpin, one bass and one rock cod. Skipper Carl Hanni has his first night charter for white sea bass coming up this week-end. It was at this same time last year that they took monsters from the west side of Catalina and results of the coming trip are favorable.

About 20 Isaac Walton's fished hallbut off Santa Monica last Sunday, with Ivan Harle horsing in the top catch of 22 lbs. Outside of that, only a few small ones were boated. Fred Bickar had a lunker almost on board but farmed it, thanks to the "Hoodoo" pin he wears on his cap, (Yak! Yak!)

Dale Wolford, with his two lb. 12 oz. barred perch, won the \$5 purchase order from the Torrance Cycle and Sport Shop last week. From now on, perch will not count! The order will go to the angler bringing in the largest trout. So remember, when you land a nice one, save it and take it into the shop on your return home and be eligible for \$5 worth of merchandise.

## Herring to Try For 19 at ELA

Outfielder Allen Herring's 18th game hitting streak will be in jeopardy tomorrow when the El Camino baseball squad clashes with East Los Angeles College on the Huskies' diamond.

Saturday the Warrior base-bane nine journeys to Bakersfield where they will engage with the Renegades in a twin-bill.

The Caminomen, resting in fourth place, boast a Metropolitan conference record of 4 wins and 4 losses in eight league games played this season.

Coach Doug Essick will probably start with chucker Jerry Siegert against East L. A., and then come back with Jerry Tully and Ralph Wilkerson in the Bakersfield tussles.

## Kegling At Torrance Bowl

TUESDAY NIGHT MIXED FOURSOME

No.	Team	1st Week	Won	Lost
1	Team No. 1	3	1	1
2	Team No. 2	3	1	1
3	Team No. 3	1	1	3
4	Team No. 4	1	1	3
5	Team No. 5	1	1	3
6	Team No. 6	1	1	3

TORRANCE GARDENS PLAZA 4th Week

No.	Team	Won	Lost
1	Sports Shop	18	3
2	Nannay's Cleaners	7	6
3	H. J. Osborne	10	9
4	Wesley Cleaners	4	12

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